

PATENT

REMARKS


On November 16, 2004, the undersigned, as Applicants' representative, was contacted by Examiner Hyun to discuss the Examiner's concerns with the terms "at least" (in the context of the phrase "at least seventy-five carrier frequencies") and "different" as used in claims 17 and 20. It was agreed that removal of these terms would clarify the subject matter of the claims. Accordingly, Applicants have amended claims 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 25 and 26 to improve their clarity and consistency. These amendments do not narrow the scope of the claims and support for these amendments may be found in the specification and claims as originally filed. Entry thereof therefore is respectfully submitted.

It is respectfully submitted that the present application is in condition for allowance and an early indication of the same is courteously solicited. The Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned by telephone at the below listed telephone number in order to expedite resolution of any issues and to expedite passage of the present application to issue, if any comments, questions, or suggestions arise in connection with the present application.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 01-0365.

Respectfully submitted,

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